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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Takashi KINOSHITA, Atsushi HAMADA,  
Tetsuo WATANABE, Fumiya SHIRAI and Kenji FURUMORI  
BASE FILM FOR MEDICAL ADHESIVE TAPE, AND MEDICAL ADHESIVE  
TAPE, ADHESIVE PLASTER AND FIRST-AID ADHESIVE TAPE PRODUCED USING THE  
FILM  
Our Ref. Q63469

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including thirty-seven (37) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	18	-	20	=		x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent claims	4	-	3	=	1	x	\$80.00	=	\$80.00
Base Fee									\$710.00
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>									<b>\$790.00</b>
Recordation of Assignment									\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>									<b>\$830.00</b>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$790.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from April 20, 2000, based on Japanese Application No. P2000-119987. The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,  
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